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10. A garment as defined in claim 8 in which said body portions include inner elastic perimeters extending upwardly from said connecting means and positionable between the breasts for assisting said lower elastic perimeters in drawing the lower body portions upwardly into said supporting engagement.

11. A garment as defined in claim 8 in which said lower elastic perimeters include elastic cords surrounded by gathered material.

12. A garment as defined in claim 8 in which said outer garment further includes a first back panel having connected between said shoulders, and said inner bra further includes a second back panel connected between said shoulder straps, said first and second back panels being unconnected and moveable independently of one another.

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#### REMARKS

**Claims 2-12 remain in the application.**

The purpose of this amendment is to more clearly define the scope of which the inventor believes to be her patentable invention, and to distinguish over the prior art known to the inventor and included with the Information Disclosure Statement Form submitted on August 10, 1999.

This amendment does not present new matter into the application.